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LETTER FROM CARIBOO.

[FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.]

NO. XXIV.

ANTLER CREEK, August 30, 1861.

EDITOR BRITISH COLONIST:—Williams' Creek is still monopolizing the lion's share of attention, and since my last, events have proved that the richest lead as yet found in Cariboo is undoubtedly in that vicinity. Abbott & Co. (three men) have taken out not less than $25,000 during the last fourteen days. The largest amount washed in one day was 195 ounces, and since they commenced cleaning up the ledge, which is from 10 to 12 feet from the surface, the yield per diem has averaged 100 ounces. The gold is heavy, and the greater part consists of one to four dollar pieces. Steel & Co. (seven men), who are one company removed from Abbott & Co.'s up stream, are also on the lead, and have some heavy bags of the *oro*. They took out 200 ounces in one day. The company occupying the ground between the above parties did not succeed in discovering the whereabouts of the lead until two days ago, when they came on the bed-rock pitching into the bank, and cleaned up 30 ounces. A share in this company was lately snapped up for $1800. Rourke & Co. (five men) have the ground in the cañon below Abbott's, and are working the lower end of their claim, which pays on the average one to two ounces a day to the hand. They expect to get on the lead as they advance up stream. A Salt Spring man took advantage of the presence of the Commissioner on the Creek to have the ground belonging to this company measured off, and jumped into 12½ feet of a very good thing at the upper end of their claim. The companies below Rourke & Co. are all at fault, and cannot find the continuation of the lead in the creek, and the probabilities are that it is covered by bank slides. The creek above the cañon widens and spreads out over wide flats. Here numbers of men are sinking holes and prospecting for the lead. Some of them, when I was over there last week, had got down to the depth of 15 feet and had struck the blue clay, which, unfortunately, is much deeper in the cañon. It is of a hard, gravelly kind of clay, and prospects in some places three cents to the pan. No one has yet succeeded in getting through it on to the bed-rock, although some men are *said* to have gone down 18 feet, a really fabulous depth for a Cariboo miner to penetrate. The general run of prospect holes throughout the country are 4 to 8 feet deep, and it must be refreshing indeed to be able to gaze down such a yawning chasm as the 18-foot one aforesaid. Towards the head of the creek some companies are doing well, one party having taken out $1000 from a week's work. On Walker's Gulch (putting into the creek half way) Walker & Co. have a very good thing which pays about three ounces a day to the hand.

Whilst the Commissioner was on Williams' Creek he issued one or two proclamations which are undoubtedly steps in the right direction. In one of them the public were informed that with the exception of ground on Antler no claims must exceed one hundred feet square. Warning was also given to parties who have pre-empted more than one claim that such proceedings are illegal and that they are liable to have the claims jumped. In consequence of the first notice there was a general moving of stakes on Williams' Creek and a number of men were consequently able to set to work on the banks, in which some favorable prospects have been found. Antler Creek was excepted from the 100 feet square regulation on account of the law passed by the miners early in the season having been recognized by the Commissioner.

The weather is fine and favorable for prospecting, and new discoveries are still the order of the day. Lightning Creek has risen considerably in the public estimation, and claims in the cañon (the only place where the bed-rock has been struck) are held at $1000 a piece. Lower down the stream the top dirt will pay in some place $4 to $5 per day.

Some good claims are being worked on Last Chance Gulch a tributary of Lightning Creek.

A new stream called Lost Creek, a fork of Swift River has been struck, and is said to have bar surface diggings on it which will pay an ounce a day and more.

Cunningham and party are going to start again for Bear River shortly. They purpose making the trip in a canoe, starting on Antler below the cañon. Antler is a fork of Bear River and empties into it about 40 or 45 miles north of the town. Cunningham's party are going to return by way of Fraser River.

Mr. Simpson, known as "Sebastapol" has also reached Bear River and met with a very unpleasant accident on it. He in company with an Indian boy were floating down the river on a raft, and whilst occupied catching salmon allowed the raft to get under the branches of some trees which swept off the Indian boy, the blankets, and provisions. The boy swam ashore but the *iktas* were lost. Left without provisions or fishing tackle they had some difficulty in getting back, and were six days without food (except moss, etc.) before they managed to strike Lightning Creek. "Sebastapol" informs that Bear River is a broad, deep, and steady flowing stream, capable of being navigated by steamers of light draught. He returns there next week and believes that good diggings will be found on the creeks which flow into it. The Chinamen are said to be flocking in great numbers up the mouth of Swift River, and it is probable will endeavor to reach Cariboo by that avenue. They will meet with a stern reception. A rumor has been current in town during the last day or two that dry diggings have been found in some flats 20 miles N. W. of the Ferry on the main Quesnelle, and some men have lately left here on "spec," but I am unable to trace the news to any good authority. A petition to the Governor to support the Coast Route, agreeably to Resolution passed at a public meeting held here on the 18th, is being actively circulated and meets with universal support. A large stock of provision is on hand here, and prices have fallen. Flour is worth 56 to 58 cents per lb. Bacon, $2; coffee, $1; tea, $2; beans, 80 cents; yeast powders, $1 25 per box; salt, $1 per lb.; sugar, $1; butter, $2; shovels, $7 to $8; picks, $7 to $9; gum boots, $16 to $18 per pair; nails, $1 per lb.

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PUBLIC NOTICES.

Real Estate Tax Act, 1861.

THE ASSESSMENT ROLL FOR VICtoria District having been finally passed, all sums due under the same must be paid into the Treasury on or before the 30th of October next.

G. T. GORDON,
Treasurer.

Treasury, October 1st, 1861. oc2

SPECIAL NOTICE.

Real Estate Tax Act, 1860.

THE THIRTY DAYS ALLOWED BY the provisions of this Act for the payment of all liabilities due under the same, will terminate on Saturday next, the 7th instant.

G. T. GORDON, Treasurer

Treasury, August 31st, 1861. se2

M. PRAG.

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se14 1m AYLES & BLACKHAWK.

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I am, Gentlemen, yours respectfully,

ELIZABETH CURLING.

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Victoria, August, 1860. au21 6m

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Do do do Imperial do do;
Oregon Cider, in barrels and qr casks.

For sale in lots to suit.

J. J. SOUTHGATE & CO.,
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TO LET.

TWO COTTAGES, WITH GARDENS attached, Apply to

se28 JAMES WILCOX

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THE BRICK STORE ADJOINING Sutro's Cigar Store, at present occupied by S. Kelly. Apply at

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Apply to
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au19 2m*

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Victoria, Sept 18, 1861. se19

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Two $1000 LOAN, and $500 to loan in small sums.

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se18 1w Office cor. Langley and Yates Street.

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LD. LOWENBERG,
se21 tf Real Astate Agent

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Real Estate Agent,

Government street No 36, between Fort and Courtney streets. se20

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M. MARTIN,
Corner of Government and Humboldt streets.
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Victoria, V. I., July 19, 1861 au20 3m

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Colors, Weights, Qualities and Sizes,

Which they offer for sale.

Jul19 6m JANION & GREEN.

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640 GALLONS CAMPHENE, IN BOND.

WILLIAM H WOODCOCK.

New Westminster, Sept. 24th, 1861. se24 1m

NOTICES.

NOTICE.

To Carpenters and Builders.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED UNtil the 8th day of October for the Erection of a Frame Dwelling House at New Westminster, B. C.

The drawings and specifications will be seen at the office of the undersigned

The lowest tender will be accepted, if otherwise satisfactory.

WRIGHT & SANDERS,
Architects,
oc4 td Corner of Langley and Yates street.

Two Dollars Reward.

LOST—A SILVER-MOUNTED RIDING WHIP, supposed to have been dropped on Beacon Hill. Whoever will bring the same to the COLONIAL RESTAURANT will receive the above reward. oc3

JAMES LOWE,

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se19 tf

REMOVAL.

M. WINKLER, DRY GOODS STORE, has removed to Yates street, next to Hibben & Carswell, Stationers. se29

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J. D. CARROLL,
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NOTICE.

IT IS PARTICULARLY REQUESTed that all parties being owners of dogs are requested not to allow them to run at large on the Race Course during the Race days, as all dogs found o the Course will be destroyed. oc1

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS against Mr. HALL, Paymaster of H. M Ship BACCHANTE, will send in their accounts forthwith for settlement.

September 30 1861. oc1 2w

NOTICE.

To Carpenters and Builders.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED UNtil FRIDAY, the 4th day of October, for the Erection of a BRICK BUILDING on Broad street. The Drawings and Specifications may be seen at the office of the undersigned.

WRIGHT & SANDERS,
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se28 Corner of Yates and Langley streets.

WANTED---A COOK.

APPLY AT THE ROYAL HOTEL.

se28 JAMES WILCOX.

Dissolution of Copartnership.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Copartnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the name of WRIGHT & NELSON, is this day dissolved by mutual agreement.

The business will hereafter be conducted in the name of G. B. WRIGHT & CO., who will collect all accounts due the late firm, and pay all sums owing by them.

G. B. WRIGHT.
URIAH NELSON.

Port Douglas, Sept. 26th, 1861. se26 1m

NOTICE.

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT O. J. MCCAUSLAND is not authorized to do business on my account, as he is no longer in my employ.

se24 WM. P. SAYWARD.

CAUTION.

I HEREBY CAUTION ALL PERSONS against trusting my wife, MARY COONESS, on my account, as I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by her from this date.

STACEY COONESS.

Victoria, Sept. 16, 1861. se17 2w*

Wanted---A Situation,

BY AN EXPERIENCED MAN, AS Overseer or Foreman. The applicant understands road making, grading, planking &c. All communications to be addressed to W. S., COLONIST office will be promptly attended to.

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NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS ARE HEREBY Cautioned not to trade for or negotiate a note of $905 55 drawn by Thos. H. Farrell & Co., payable to their own order, and indorsed by —— Koshland, the said note bears date June 27, 1861, and has been paid. Any party finding the same will be paid $5 on application to the undersigned.

se9 REINHART & CO.

NOTICE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT Thomas Newman Inness has neither right, title, or interest to my property on Fort street, or any other property which I own, as the documents in my possession will sufficiently prove.

JOHN BOOTH.

Victoria, Sept 9, 1861 se9

NOTICE.

NEITHER MY SHIP NOR AGENT will be responsible for any debts contracted by my crew or officers.

JOSEPH HARVEY, Jr.,
Master of Brig Sunny South.

Victoria, September 23, 1861. se25 3t

NOTICE.

ALL CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE of the late Captain Archibald Jamieson, of the steamer Cariboo, must be duly attested and lodged with Mr James Lowe, at his Office in Pidwell's brick building, Yates street, within sixty days from date hereof; and all those who are indebted to the Estate are requested to pay the same to him.

WILLIAM IRVING,
Executor.

Victoria, 5th August, 1861. au62m

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THE BRITISH COLONIST

TO ADVERTISERS.

All advertisements, unless the time for which they are to be inserted is specified, will be continued until ordered out, and so charged.

Monday Morning, Oct. 7, 1861.

Our Cotemporary in the Up-River Village in Agony.

Our up-river cotemporary in its last issue appears to be in a great state of mental agony about our remarks on the Memorial to the Duke of Newcastle; and to make more palatable the spumy dec amation with which it usually nauseates it readers, it added the spice of falsehood. Whilst it compliments us with being "justly popular among the people," it takes occasion to put in as strong a dose of poison, as it thinks we can bear without being killed outright. We are sincerely thankful for the interest our up-river cotemporary takes in our welfare, but we are sorry to say some of its remarks bear so visibly the stamp of *intentional* slander, that we are half inclined to believe its professions of regard purely hypocritical. If it had not been laboring under a "strange hallucination," it could never have characterized our remarks on the Memorial as an "ill-natured effusion." In our opinion they ware an honest, frank, manly utterance; neither ill-natured in conception nor expression, in which every position was or can be supported by facts. If our cotemporary had the smallest modicum of good sense, it would either have kept its tongue still, or met our objections by solid argument, and not by "impertinent" observations. There certainly was no occasion to state that "*He* (COLONIST ?) describes the gentlemen who compose that Convention as *a pack of political agitators and demigogues* (demagogues?)"

We regard this assertion as a miserable untruth, for which our remarks on the memorial furnish no foundation. If the *Columbian* hopes to effect any good by such misrepresentation, it is very greatly mistaken, and if it does not prove its position we shall write it down as the *unreliable* organ of the Convention. In this instance it is clearly unreliable, and if unreliable in reference to the COLONIST, why not in reference to the Government of British Columbia? It is always regarded as unwise for a party to adopt a particular organ, as its faults become the faults of the party; and in many instances, the Convention cannot but perceive the injury that is done to their cause by the injudiciousness, to say the least, of the *Columbian*.

Our "strange advocacy of a coast route" is another of the sins we have committed. No doubt it does seem strange to our cotemporary. Anything like independent journalism does appear "strange" to those who are deficient in independence. It doubtless sounds very strange indeed to find the COLONIST above the sectionalism of a corner of British Columbia; above personal interest, or popularity-hunting, speaking out in favor of the interests of the Colony in its entirety. We assure our cotemporary that we don't expect it to regard our advocacy as other than strange; more particularly as it is bound down head and foot, to think everything "strange" that don't chime in with the views of a small knot of its patrons. When the *Columbian* speaks out in favor of the rights of the miners in Cariboo to get their provisions by the shortest route, even a coast route if there be such a thing, then we shall agree that its advocacy is not "strange" but proper; that it is an independent and not a sectional journal. Hitherto it has not dared to do so, and probably will long continue in the same miserable predicament.

Stove-pipe Season.

Now that the cold season has commenced setting gradually in, doubtless we are expected to deliver our fourth annual lecture on the dangers of stove-pipes and flues to everybody in general, and nobody in particular. We may as well pronounce an introduction, by stating that everybody turned out yesterday afternoon to see a flue on fire. We infer from that, that what has been may be again; that what occurred yesterday may occur to-day; and as it is extremely inconvenient for everybody to turn out in a fright to do somebody's business, or see the soot in somebody's chimney burn safely out, we would recommend that somebody mind his own business by taking the precaution to have his chimney swept at least once a month. In our office as universal regulator, we have for four successive stove-pipe seasons pressed upon the attention of "prince and people" the advisability of appointing firewardens—stove-pipe and flue investigators—to examine all the stove-pipes and flues and see that they were safe.

But provoking as it may be to say it, the pressure of the press is a misnomer—at least the doings of the Assembly, after all the pummelling they get, are so precarious, it is doubtful whether there ever will be civic machinery eno gh to pass a town ordinance to protect the community against the inconvenience and danger attached to stove-pipes. The only way in which they could possibly be brought to repent of the fatalism they invoke, would be to set one of the Assembly flues on fire, and dowse the members with water, of course, to put it out. If they did not take a relapse after that, we could have the needful regulations made, not to put out, but to prevent fires. In the meantime, as we don't intend to exhaust our subject, nor like to take our farewell of the stove-pipe grievance, but intend to deliver the balance smoking hot semi-occasionally, if not oftener, we would suggest that the police make a weekly survey of all the stove pipes in the town, and if found unsafe pull them down. Necessity knows no law: and in our case its no use waiting for one to be made.

Correction.

VICTORIA, Oct. 5, 1861.

EDITOR BRITISH COLONIST.—Amongst a few other unimportant errors in my letter of to-day, there is one omission which I should be glad if you notice, as it obscures the meaning of the sentence. In your impression it stands thus—"if there be any doubts in his or any one else's mind whether the views enunciated are not repudiated at St. John's by another ——"

There are some words left out. In the original copy I said— "if there be any doubts in his or any one else's mind whether the views enunciated *at Christ Church by one Incumbent*, are not repudiated at St. John's by another."

I should feel obliged if you would insert this explanation. Your obed't. servant,

R. J. DUNDAS.

[The above typographical error is corrected in the Weekly edition of the BRITISH COLONIST.—Ed. Col.]

SUPERSTITION AT COPENHAGEN.—Concerning the construction of the ramparts, there is told a story so horrible I can hardly give credit to its truth, but the Danes themselves relate it. It appears that the earth crumbled down, giving way as fast as the workmen built it up. The engineers themselves were not at fault, so they determined to consult a wise woman, who declared the mounds would always continue sinkit g unless a living child was buried underneath. So they prepared a recess of brickwork under the ramparts, and decorated it gaily with evergreens and flowers, and placed therein a little table and chair, with toys and dolls, and sweetmeats, and a tree lighted with many little tapers; and having enticed a little girl of five years old, they clothed her in new garments and brought her to the bower accompanied by a band of music, and whilst the child in her delight played with the dolls and toys, the masons quickly closed up the aperture with solid brickwork, and shovelled the earth over it. From that time the ramparts sank no more.

STORY OF A ZOUAVE.—They tell a story of a Zouave having been asked his opinion of the English soldiers after the Crimean campaign. "Ah," said he, "set them down in an engagement ready prepared and well fed, and no man can fight better; but let them get into misery or distress, and no men know less how to get themselves out of it. *Par example*, our battalion was encamped beside an English regiment which had a magnificent buck-goat; the cavalry horses of their army had no forage, and the poor beast, getting no food, sickened and died. At this time the soldiers he belonged to were without rations to eat, or fire to warm themselves with; and what do you think they did? Why, they collected some boards, made a coffin and buried the buck. My comrade and myself, shocked at such a waste of good things, took the poor animal up that same night; *parole d'honneur*, we had three good fires from this coffin, delicious messes from his flesh for seven days, and for the rest of the campaign we slept upon his skin, which kept us from damp and saved us from sickness. Now what do you think of the English soldiers after such a piece of folly as that? I have my cat, I carry him on my sack, and he comes under fire with me, as you may perceive, from his having lost a forefoot. I love and nourish him, and he in return will, should there be a necessity, provide me with two days' good living."

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Union Hook & Ladder Co. No. 1.

A REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING of this Company will be held THIS (Monday) EVENING, at 7½ o'clock

JAMES R. ANDERSON, Secretary.
oc7

3600 GALS. LONDON DOCK PALE and Dark Brandy.
For sale by J. D. CARROLL, Yates street.
oc7

1000 GALS. OLD TOM.
For sale by J. D. CARROLL, Yates street.
oc7

EX "IONIA:"

3 PUNS. NEW ENGLAND RUM; 2 pipes Pure Spirits.
For sale by J. D. CARROLL, Yates street
oc7

For Olympia, Direct,

TOUCHING AT PORT TOWNSEND, SEATTLE AND STEILACOOM,

The Steamer Eliza Anderson,

JNO. R. FLEMING, Commander.

THE ABOVE FAVORITE STEAMER will leave Victoria every WEDNESDAY for the above Ports. Returning, will leave Olympia every TUESDAY. Particular attention will be given to the shipment of Stock.

By arrangement, Stock will be taken to New Westminster and Bellingham Bay

For Freight or Passage apply on board. oc7

Wright & Sanders,

ARCHITECTS,

Office:—CORNER YATES AND LANGLEY STS Victoria. oc7-tf

REGULAR AUCTION SALE.

P. M. BACKUS

WILL SELL

TO-MORROW,

TUESDAY, October 8th, 1861.

At 11 o'clock, A. M.

AT HIS SALESROOM, YATES STREET,

-- bags Onions;
-- casks IXL Bacon;
-- boxes Adamantine Candles;
-- chests Tea, medium and high grade;
-- White Flannel Jackets;
-- pairs Corduroy Pants;
-- Mahogany and Gilt Mirrors;
Etc. Etc. Etc.

ALSO, WITHOUT RESERVE.

100 bags Bayos Beans;
1 Whale Boat, Oars and Sails complete;
2 Parlor Stoves, complete;
Etc. Etc. Etc.
oc7

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

SPECIAL AUCTION SALE.

P. M. BACKUS

WILL SELL,

THURSDAY, Oct. 10th, 1861,

At 1 o'clock, P. M.,

AT JAMES' STABLES, BROAD STREET,

(Unless previously disposed of by private sale.)

THE WELL-KNOWN

Race Horse Volunteer,

Six years old; quiet under the saddle and in harness, and perfectly sound. To be seen on day of sale at James' Stables. oc7

For Olympia

AND INTERMEDIATE PORTS.

U. S. MAIL STEAMER

ENTERPRISE

CAPT. CURRY,

Will leave Victoria every TUESDAY and FRIDAY, at 10 o'clock, A. M.

Returning, will leave Olympia every MONDAY and THURSDAY, at 7 o'clock, A. M.

For Freight or Passage apply on board. oc5

Winter Evening Lectures,

1861 AND 1862.

THE FIRST LECTURE WILL BE delivered in Moore's Hall, Yates street, at 8 o'clock, P. M., on TUESDAY, the 15th October, when Mr. Glover will deliver a Lecture on "English Poetry."

The second Lecture will be delivered at the same place and hour, on Tuesday, the 29th October, by D. Babington Ring, Esq; subject—"Historic Hints."

The succeeding Lectures will be duly announced.

O. GLOVER, G. M. SPROAT, J. R. STEWART, } Managing Committee.
oc5

Sportsmen, Attention.

The Very Latest Information

CAN BE OBTAINED AT THE

New Room

OF THE

STAR AND GARTER HOTEL,

GOVERNMENT STREET,

On all Matters Relating to Sporting.

Superior Accommodations for Travelers.
oc5

AUCTION.

THIS DAY,

MONDAY, Oct. 7th, 1861.

At 11 o'clock, A. M.,

I will sell the following Goods,

AT SALESROOM ON WHARF STREET,

For account of whom it may concern,

Damaged on Voyage of Importation,

EX TRUE BRITON:

10 pieces. Grey Cottons;
3 doz. Kersey Pants;
2 pieces Flannel;
7 do. White Cottons;
1 do. Pilot Cloth;
2 do. White Cottons.

—ALSO—

IN ORDER,

An Invoice of Groceries.

—ALSO—

A few cases Boots and Shoes;
A few cases Clothing.

—ALSO—

India Rubber Goods.

The balance of an English Invoice.

—ALSO—

UMBRELLAS.

Silk Umbrellas, whalebone frames;
Gingham Umbrellas, whalebone frames.

—ALSO—

Groceries and Provisions

TO CLOSE CONSIGNMENTS.

N. B.—The Boots, Shoes, Clothing, Umbrellas and Rubber Goods will be sold on a liberal credit. Terms at Sale. The Groceries, Provisions and Damaged Goods will be sold for Cash.

—ALSO—

2 Parlor or Office Stoves, nearly new.
oc7
J. A. McCREA, Auctioneer.
oc2

DOUGALL & SON,

CALEDONIA FOUNDRY,

Engineers, Iron and Brass Founders.

PLAIN and ORNAMENTAL CASTINGS

Of all Descriptions.

IRON FRONTS, ETC.,

oc2 1m Made to Order.

J. Fraunenthal & Co.,

Yates Street, next to Wharf,

RESPECTFULLY INFORM THE public in general that they have just opene with a New Stock of Merchandise, consisting o Clothing, Dry Goods, Blankets Boots and Shoes, and a General Assortment of Yankee Notions, suitable or Indian trade, which we offer for sale at low prices for Cash—Wholesale and Retail
se18 1m

MISCELLANEOUS.

SHERIFF'S SALE

BY PUBLIC AUCTION,

At the Suit of James M. Reid, Wm. J. McDonald, and Wm. Walls, Plaintiffs, vs. Ford Curtis, and Curtis and Nicholas Narracott, Defendants:

AT E. STAMP & CO.'S WHARF,

THIS DAY,

MONDAY, October 7th, 1861,

The fine fast sailing, frigate built Ship

'True Briton,

769 Tons Registered,

Coppered and copper-fastened, built at London in 1825, and now lying in Esquimalt Harbor, under Charter for England.

The vessel to be taken as she now lies, with all her tackle, apparel and furniture (but not provisions). No allowances made for any defects whatsoever.

JOHN J. COCHRANE, Auctioneer.
oc4

SPECIAL AUCTION SALE

P. M. BACKUS

WILL SELL

TO-MORROW,

TUESDAY, October 8th, 1861,

At 12 o'clock M.,

AT THE VICTORIA MARKET,

The following Choice Stock, viz:

1 Bull, 4 years old;
12 Cows;
9 Yearling Calves;
9 Calves.

TERMS AT SALE. oc4

IMPORTANT AUCTION SALE.

MR. JOHN COPLAND

WILL SELL

BY PUBLIC AUCTION,

—ON—

WEDNESDAY, Oct. 9, 1861,

At 12 o'clock, M.,

(Unless previously sold by private contract)

100 Acres of Section 33, Victoria District, and Improvements.

House and Lot No. 273, on Fort st.

Easterly half of Lot No. 436, on Cormorant street, with Houses.

House and Lot No. 1271, off Store street.

Lumber Mills at Sooke.

Sections 5 and 6 East Range 13, in South Saanich.

Two Sections of Land in the suburbs of New Westminster.

Town Lot No. No. 1208, on Vancouver st.

Town Lot No. 197 on Discovery street.

The Terms and Conditions of Sale, also Abstracts of Titles, will be on view on Tuesday next.

AUCTION ROOM, No. 36 Langley street.
oc4 1w*

Removal.

REINHART & BRO. HAVE REMOVED to their new Fireproof Store on Wharf street, opposite the Hudson Bay Company's Warehouse.

AN EXCELLENT ASSORTMENT OF

GROCERIES, PROVISIONS,

Wines, Liquors, Clothing, Etc.,

FOR SALE

CHEAP AT WHOLESALE

REINHART & BRO,
oc5 1m Wharf street, opp. H. B. Co.'s Store.

Sporborg & Goldstone,

YATES' FIRE PROOF

Stone Warehouse, Wharf Street,

IMPORTERS AND JOBBERS in Groceries, Provisions, Clothing, Dry Goods, Boots and Shoes, etc., etc.

SPORBORG & GOLDSTONE, Dealers in Oregon Produce and Commission Merchants.

SPORBORG & GOLDSTONE, Agents for California Brooms manufactured at San Francisco. The trade supplied at a small advance above manufacturer's rates.

10,000 LBS. of splendid Oregon Bacon, for sale at SPORBORG & GOLDSTONE'S

150 CASES BOOTS AND SHOES for sale low at SPORBORG & GOLDSTONE'S.

50 CASES OREGON LARD for sale low at SPORBORG & GOLDSTONES, Yates' Fire Proof Warehouse, Wharf street. oc5 tf

For Sale, Low.

800 DOZ OF PORTER, SUITABLE for families. Apply to G. RUEFF, Wharf Street.
oc4 1m

Hops! Hops!!

4 BALES CHOICE ENGLISH HOPS. For sale cheap at Office of

VICTORIA COAL AND LUMBER CO.,
oc1 1m2dp City Wharf.

PAINTER & CO.

PRACTICAL PRINTERS, and Dealers in Type, Presses, Printing Materials Ink, Paper, Cards, &c.

510 Clay Street, above Sansome

The Island Market.

THE PUBLIC ARE RESPECTFULLY informed that the business of the Island Market will henceforth be carried on in the New Market, where the continued favors of customers will be thankfully received.

Victoria, Sept. 12, 1861. se13

MISCELLANEOUS.

EDGAR & AIME

OFFER FOR SALE, AT THEIR OLD STAND,

Wharf Street, Near Yates,

In Lots to Suit.

EX BARKENTINE W B SCANTON,
BARK IONIA,
BARK GLIMPSE,
STMR SIERRA NEVADA.

FLOUR—Magnolia Mills, Island Mills, Albion Mills, do Self-Rising.

BACON—Extra clear, IXL in hhds, New York in cases, Boston in hhds, Oregon extra heavy sides.

PORK—Extra clear Pork in ½ bbls.

HAMS—Billing's Hams 1861, Oregon Hams, Oregon Shoulders, Billing's patent-covered Shoulders.

LARD—J H & Co's in 10-lb tins, P & H's in 10-lb tins, Childs' in 20-lb buckets, Oregon in kegs and tins.

BUTTER—Isthmus, June 1861, Oregon in brine and kits, Oregon in cases, P in diamond in firkins.

CORN-MEAL—¼ and ⅛ sacks.

BUCKWHEAT—¼ and ⅛ sacks.

COD FISH—No 1 in drums.

MACKEREL—Eastern in kits, large, No 1's, California in kits.

SYRUP—East Boston in 5s, do do 8s, New York 8s

MOLASSES—S I in barrels.

DRIED APPLES, LAYER RAISINS, CHILE PEACHES, ZANTE CURRANTS, APPLES IN TINS, OREGON APPLES, PRESERVED PEACHES, PRESERVED PINE APPLE, WORCESTERSHIRE SAUCE.

RICE.

China Rice,
Carolina Rice in barrels,
do do in ½ barrels.

MATCHES.

R W M atches in tins,
Vienna Matches.

SARDINES ½s and ¼s,
Sail Twine.
Wrapping Twine,
Wrapping Paper, straw,
Wrapping Paper, Manilla.

CANDLES.

Candles, Thain's: Candles, ne plus ultra; Candles, chemical sperm; Candles, Macey's patent, in cartoons.

SUGAR.

Sugar Crushed, in barrels;
Sugar Crushed, in ½ barrels;
Sugar Crushed, in boxes;
Sugar Powdered, in boxes.

YEAST POWDERS—Preston & Merrill's, Boardman's.

SOAP,

Fay's, Hills, Dyer's, Colgate's, Jones', and Genuine Castile Soap

BROOMS, Nos 1, 2 and 3;
CALIFORNIA CHEESE in cases,
ENGLISH CHEESE in tins
BLACK AND GREEN

T

IN BOXES AND CHESTS.

COFFEE.

Rio Coffee, Java Coffee,
Chartres Ground Coffee, Manilla Coffee,
Old Java Ground Coffee, Bovee's Gr'nd Coffee

TABLE SALT, in 5s.

VINEGAR AND PICKLES.

Vinegar in barrels,
Vinegar in ½ barrels,
Vinegar in 10-gallon kegs,
Vinegar in 5-gallon kegs,
Pickles, in 5-gal kgs,
Pickles in 3-gal kegs.

OYSTERS,

Fields' Oysters, Kensett's Oysters,
H B & Co's Oysters.

And a full Assortment of Case Goods of all kinds and descriptions.

Also, an Invoice of

Dessicated and Compressed Meats and Vegetables,

As put up by the American Dessicating Company of New York.

se26 1mis EDGAR & AIME.

J. L. JUNGERMANN,

Chronometer, Watchmaker and Jeweler,

YATES STREET OPPOSITE LANGLEY

BEING A PRACTICAL WATCHMAker and Jeweler, in all the branches, and having had many years' experience at the business in California, England, France and Germany, the undersigned offers his services to Victorians, and the Colony at large, warranting all work performed by him to be done in a workmanlike and substantial manner. A small but well selected assortment of

Watches, Jewelry and Clocks

Always on hand and for sale at reasonable rates.

oc3 2p J. L JUNGERMANN.

Victoria Market.

STALLS IN THIS MARKET FOR THE Sale of Fruit, Fish, Vegetables, Butcher Meat, etc., may now be leased by the month or year, and the choice of Stalls will be in the order in which they are applied for

For the accommodation of parties only making occasional sales of their produce, a few stalls will be reserved to let by the day.

Arrangements are about to be made for a Farmer's Weekly Market, and also for Auction Sales of Stock, Hay, etc., at stated periods.

A Plan of the Market may be seen at the Office of the Company, Government street

JOHN J. COCHRANE, Secretary.
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VICTORIA

Coal and Lumber Co.,

CITY WHARF, FOOT OF YATES ST.,

Keep constantly on hand

WOOD AND COAL.

BEST QUALITY OF NANAIMO COAL, screened, free from dust, which will be delivered free of drayage and porterage in any part of the Town, and in quantities to suit, at REDUCED RATES.

—ALSO—

LUMBER, of every description,

BUILDING STONE, BRICK, LIME, ETC.

Cheap for Cash. oc1 1m2dp

LIVERPOOL AND LONDON

Fire and Life Insurance Company

ESTABLISHED 1836.

Cash Capital and Reserved Fund $6,000,000

W. B. JOHNSON, Esq., Agent for San Francisco.

THE UNDERSIGNED IS AUTHORised to receive applications for Insurance in Victoria on first class Buildings and merchandise stored therein; and will also insure detached frame residences in the suburbs, and furniture in same.

FRED. GREEN, Wharf street.
oc2 1m

St. John's Church.

THE CHURCHWARDEN WILL ATtend at the Vestry on the following days, and at the hours mentioned below, for the letting of Seats for the ensuing year, viz.:

On Tuesday, from 4 to 5 P. M.
On Wednesday and Thursday, from 12 to 1 P. M., and
On Friday, at 8 P. M., directly after Services.

Seat Rents payable half yearly, in advance.

Persons already holding seats are particularly requested to notify the Rector or Churchwarden, either personally or in writing, whether they intend to retain their seats, as difficulty and confusion might otherwise arise. Such notice, if possible, should be sent before Tuesday afternoon. se28 1w

Charts of Haro and Rosario Straits,

FROM SURVEYS MADE BY CAPT. RICHARDS and the Officers of H. M. S. Plumper, received by the last steamer

Also, Official Maps of the Town of Victoria and the surveyed Districts of VANCOUVER ISLAND.

Also, a new Official Map of BRITISH COLUMBIA.

HIBBEN & CARSWELL, Stationers' Hall, Yates street.
se28 1m

THE BRITISH COLONIST

Monday Morning, Oct. 7, 1861.

Fire Department Election.

The election for a Chief and Assistant Engineer of the Fire Department, was held on Saturday last. The poll was opened at the house of Deluge Engine Company No. 1, on Government street, at 10 o'clock, A. M., and continued until 3 P. M. The voting was by ballot, and the election was conducted in a very orderly manner. The contest was between Messrs. Malowanski and Gowen, for the position of Assistant. The friends of each gentleman worked hard, but good-naturedly, for their favorite. To Mr. Dickson, the candidate for Chief, no opposition was made.

After the poll was closed, the Judges of Election proceeded to count the ballots, and at half-past three o'clock announced the following as the result:

For Chief Engineer—John Dickson, 102; Mr. Jackson, 1—total 103.

For Assistant—John Malowanski, 58; Chas. Gowen, 43; blank, 1; majority for Malownaski, 15. As soon as the above announcement was made, the bell on the Truck House rang forth a lively peal, which continued for some time.

The ballots were sealed and delivered to the Secretary of the Fire Department, and a meeting of the Board of Delegates was held at 4 o'clock, when the ballots were again counted and certificates of election issued to Messrs. Dickson and Malowansky, subject to the approval of his Excellency Governor Douglas.

In the evening, the various companies met at the Deluge Engine House—of which company Mr. Dickson has long been the worthy foreman—and in flowing bumpers of champaigne, pledged the health of J. A. McCrea, Esq., the retiring Chief; his Successor; the New Assistant; the Defeated Candidate, Mr. Gowan; the President, Secretary and Treasurer of the Department, and others. Remarks were made by several gentlemen, and a torchlight procession was formed, preceded by the new and old officers of the department, and a band of music. About 100 firemen followed, dragging the Deluge engine. A small transparency, with "Hail to the Chief," and other appropriate mottoes, was borne in the procession, which was under the command of Mr. Hoctor, Assistant Foreman of the Deluge. In passing the Tiger Engine house, three cheers were given, which were returned with tigers by the Tiger boys. When the possession reached the COLONIST office, the crowd halted and gave three tremendous cheers and a very large-sized tiger for the success of that institution. The residence of Capt. James Reid was next visited, and hearty cheers given for Mr. William Walls, the Treasurer of the Department. The Union Hook and Ladder house was also saluted with a hearty good will, and the compliment acknowledged by the members of that company with the ringing of their bell, cheers, tigers, &c. The residence of Mr. Gowen was next visited and the vociferous cheering that ensued evinced the respect in which he is held by his brother fireman. The procession then returned to the Deluge house, where, after more speeches, cheers, toasts, and tigers, the assemblage separated.

Saturday's Races.

The races on Saturday were slimly attended, but were nevertheless interesting. The first race was for the Handicap Plate, distance one mile and a half, for which Volunteer, Gray Arrow, Jim and Moustache were entered. The race was won by Volunteer by about half a neck in advance of Gray Arrow; Jim was close behind; Moustache was distanced. The rider of Gray Arrow entered a protest against the race being awarded Volunteer on account of alleged foul riding on the part of the latter's rider; and the stewards, after a long sitting on Saturday night, decided that the race must be run over again on Wednesday next; all bets to go with the stakes.

A Beaten Handicap, $100, one mile, for which Thunderer and Selleck, were entered, (the first named carrying 14 pounds extra weight) next came off, and was won by the latter by two lengths.

Subsequently, a Match Race, $100 a side, one mile, between the same horses, Thunderer carrying only seven pounds extra, was run. Selleck was again the winner by two lengths. The day's sport concluded with two or three scrub races.

FATAL ACCIDENT.—An old man named Jolibois, while driving a lumber-laden wagon along the Saanich road on Sunday last, when near Dr. Tolmie's red gate, fell from his seat to the ground, and was crushed by the wheels of the vehicle, which passed over his breast. He was extricated by some naval officers, who chanced to be passing, and taken to the Royal Hospital, where every attention was shown him; but his injuries were of so severe a nature as to cause his death within twenty minutes after being conveyed thither. Deceased was a French Canadian, and aged about 60 years. He was formerly in the employ of the Hudson Bay Company, and leaves a family. Dr. Dickson will hold an inquest over the body to-day, at 2 o'clock, P. M.

☞ The schooner Growler arrived from the Sound yesterday morning, with a cargo of produce.

Arrival of the Otter.

The steamer Otter, Capt. Mouat, arrived from New Westminster at 9 o'clock on Saturday night last, bringing 45 passengers and at least $100,000 in gold dust.

Among the passengers were several men who were well known last spring to be "flat broke" on leaving. They return with well-filled purses. One man had $8000, the result of five weeks' work.

On the 17th ult, Steele & Co., who own the apjoining claim to that of Abbott, Dawson & Co., on Williams' Creek, cleaned up from their sluices *four hundred and seventy five ounces*, or *seven thousand six hundred dollars* in gold dust at $16 an ounce, *the product of one day's labor!!* This statement come authenticated to us by a respectable citizen who saw the cleaning up on the day in question, and we can vouch for its truth.

A quartz lead has just been struck on Chisholm's Creek. It prospects rich.

As an evidence of the quantity of dust in the hands of Cariboolites, we are informed by a gentleman just down from that region, that the owner of a rich claim on Williams' Creek bet $15,000 on a single hand of poker, in a gambling saloon, not long since. His friends interfered and compelled the parties holding the stakes to relinquish them before the hands were shown.

Major Downie is at Antler Creek, industriously engaged in crying down the coast route: while Kenny, on the other hand, is at the same place, doing all he can for it. The latter, so far, is thought to have the inside track of the Major, and is high in favor.

Gov. Douglas has returned to New Westminster from Port Douglas.

FIRE.—The American Saloon, on Yates street, was nearly laid in ashes yesterday. Through defects in a stovepipe, sparks ignited the shingles of the roof and quite a little blaze was created, which, most fortunately, was discovered by a guest, and extinguished with buckets of water, without assistance from the Fire Department. Citizens should examine their pipes and ascertain to a certainty that they are safe, before starting fires in their stoves this season.

Another.—About 5 o'clock last evening the chimney of the house of Mr. A. Simpson, Yates street above Broad, was observed to be emitting flames. The Truck-house bell was rung, and the Deluge Engine drew water from the cistern at the corner of Government and Yates street and supplied the Tiger engine. The Tiger threw a stream upon the roof to prevent the shingles from igniting, and having succeeded in wetting them well, the engines returned home. No damage was done. The Hook and Ladder Company rendered efficient service with their apparatus, and by their promptness and energy greatly facilitated the operations of the engine companies.

HEAVY BLOW.—The blow of last night was the heaviest, thus far, this season, and may have proved destructive to shipping in the Straits. The fine weather we have enjoyed so long seems to have fled at last, and we may as well prepare for winter. Beacon Hill and other favorite suburban resorts, have gone out of fashion till next spring and weeping weather, muddy roads, and slushy streets, bid fair to be the order of the day for the succeeding five months.

DRIVEN ON THE ROCKS.—During the blow yesterday afternoon, the schooner Carolena, while beating out of the harbor, was driven on the rocks near the Stickeen village, and remained there up to a late hour last night. The extent of the damage she sustained we did not learn.

SALE OF THE "TRUE BRITON."—The bark True Briton will be sold to-day by auction, at E. Stamp & Co.'s wharf, by Mr. John J. Cochrane. The sale takes place at the suit of Messrs. Reid, McDonald & Walls.

AUCTION.—At 11 o'clock this morning, Mr. McCrea will sell a quantity of goods damaged on the voyage of importation ex True Briton; also, India rubber goods, groceries and provisions.

THE FLOUR ASSAULT CASE.—This important case will be continued this morning in the Police Court.

Prize List.

OAKVALE, October 5th, 1861.

EDITOR BRITISH COLONIST:—Permit me to correct two or three mistakes in your issue of the 3d inst. You say in your editorial that I took the second prize for wheat which weighed 64 lbs. to the bushel. Now, the half bushel measure, wheat and all, weighed 38½ lbs; subtract 4¾ lbs., the weight of the measure, from 38½ lbs., and it leaves 33¾—which makes 67½ lbs. to the bushel; while Mr. McKenzie's first prize wheat weighed 36½ lbs., measure and all, which leaves 31¾ lbs. of wheat—which doubled, makes 63½ lbs. to the bushel. If the Judges choose to look over their papers they will find that I am correct. Mr. McKenzie's wheat is fall wheat, while mine is spring wheat, which grows best when sown between the middle of May and beginning of June, as several of the settlers who have sown it this year can testify. In the report it is stated "that I took both prizes for purple top turnips weighing 8 lbs. each, which were equal to any of the Swedish turnips." Now, I had the largest and heaviest that were there, *which you know to be the truth*—one of them weighing 18 lbs.—but the Judges would not give me the first prize, because they were not all one kind. Three of them were Swedish turnips, which weighed 39 lbs., ar 13 lbs. each; and they were picked out by random from a field of about five acres.

GEORGE DEANS.

"The Ovens" Gold Diggings.

Great excitement has prevailed in the neighborhood of "The Ovens," Lunenburg, of late. A discovery that the sands of the beach were richly impregnated with gold, brought together a number of persons, and news reached the city on Friday that serious difficulties had occurred, or were apprehended, and that certain persons had forcibly expelled others claiming priority of possession, etc. The Government adopted the promptest measures to rectify any disputes occurring, by obtaining from Admiral Milne the use of the steamer Nimble, which, with his usual civility, was immediately placed by his Excellency at the disposal of the Executive. The Hon. Mr. Howe, the Attorney General, the Receiver General, and the Hon. Mr. Locke, with the Commissioner of Crown Lands, left by this steamer early on Saturday morning for Lunenburg, and returned on Sunday evening. The difficulties had been greatly magnified, and order was restored forthwith; regulations were prepared and issued, and all parties were left harmoniously engaged in their new occupation.

Among others, W. Cunard, Esq., visited "the Ovens" by the Nimble, and returned with the party. The beach washings are yielding very abundantly. One man, by the crudest machinery, washes an ounce of gold a day out of the sand on the sea side.

Lots are laid off 33 x 30 feet. Mr. Cunard, we understand, took up 70 lots, mostly in the rear, paying at the rate of £5 for each as a yearly rental. He returned home with the party on Sunday evening, bringing some beautiful specimens, about the size of what is commonly called *duck shot*—only flattened, and all kinds of shapes, more resembling slugs than shot. We saw a small phial of these, heavy as so much quicksilver, in Mr. Cunard's possession, gathered by himself, though somewhat intermixed with dust and gravel.

Last evening Mr. Cunard left again with one of his own steamers fully equipped for operations. A house frame, 20 feet square, all fitted, had been prepared on Monday. A picked set of men, a dredging machine, and every imaginable appliance, all on board, left yesterday, the 5th, for the Washings, Mr. Cunard personally in charge. About 150 men are busy at these diggings and washings, and 200 lots have been already disposed of. From the lay of the land, it is supposed that these rich washings and deposits extend for fully a couple of miles along the coast.

There seems to be no longer room for doubt of the value and richness of the gold deposits in Nova Scotia. The miners at Tangier, which is, perhaps, sixty or eighty miles distant from "The Ovens," are said to be doing well. This sudden expedition of Mr. Cunard, son of the enterprizing Sir Samuel Cunard, and agent of the steam line at Halifax, gives a significancy to gold-mining in Nova Scotia which will have its effect abroad. We wish Mr. Cunard, and all others engaged, entire success in their new enterprize.—*Halifax Chron. Aug. 6.*

A Chinese Juggler.

As soon as he had cleared a circle with the old "string and balls," he spread the contents of his wallet on the ground, and stripped himself to the waist. He was a poor, thin fellow, who seemed to suffer from the effects of the tricks he performed. He first of all spoke for about five minutes, with all the volubility of Charles Mathews, evidently saying something witty, for the people around laughed heartily. In the middle of his harangue, however, he was seized with a fit of choking, and after an effort at trying to get something out of his throat, drew forth a little slip of bamboo, like a Lisbon tooth-pick, then another, and another; then he sneezed, and out they came from his nostrils, then from his eyes, until he completed the number of 37, by making one appear half-way out of each orifice at the same time, and then threw the lot on the ground for any one to examine. He then took three glass balls, about an inch in diameter, and placing them singly between his lips, sucked them into his mouth, and swallowed the first, a red one, then a blue, and last of all a white one; there was a little interlude of tooth-picks and talking, after which he walked gravely around the ring, stopping four times. Each time he gave himself a shake and a jump, when the balls were distinctly heard to jingle inside him. On completing his rounds, after several efforts he spat the balls out on the ground in the same order he had swallowed them—the red first the white last. He then took two more balls, one of polished steel, about the size of a hen's egg, and another of glass, the same size. These he at first let fall on the ground, to show they were solid; then, placing them between his lips, swallowed them like the smaller ones, but with difficulty, the ball swelling the throat as it went down. There were more tooth-picks and talking, while he prepared two swords, about an inch wide and twenty long, very like polished hoop-iron, clashed them together to show they were real, and passed both down his throat at once, until they struck the balls with an audible click. Withdrawing these, he placed his hands behind him, and after several apparently painful trials, each ball rose in the throat, and fell from his mouth to the ground with a heavy thump. Other tricks he did only suited to a Chinese audience.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

LIGHT HOUSE
ON
FISGARD ISLAND, ESQUIMALT HARBOR,
VANCOUVER ISLAND.

COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
Victoria, 1st December, 1860.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT A Light is exhibited in the Light House recently erected on the summit of Fisgard Island.

The Light is fixed, and of the fourth order of Fresnel; Shows bright when bearing from N. 2 W. to N. 60 W.
" red " " " N. 60 W. to S. 6 E.
Is elevated 70 feet above mean High Water Level, and may be seen in clear weather 19 miles.
(The bearings are magnetic.)
The structure consists of a keeper's dwelling of brick, with a tower of the same material whitewashed, surmounted by an iron lantern painted red.

It is situated in Latitude..... 48° 25′ 38″ N.
" " Longitude..... 123° 27′ 10″ W.

The following directions for Esquimalt and Victoria, compiled by Capt. Richards, are herewith published for general information.

By command of His Excellency the Governor,
WILLIAM A. G. YOUNG,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

DIRECTIONS FOR ESQUIMALT AND VICTORIA.

The Light Tower on the Race Rocks is completed, and the light, (which is a flashing one every ten seconds) will probably be exhibited in the course of a few weeks. The height of the lantern above the sea is 118 feet. The Tower can be distinctly seen at the distance of 12 miles, and vessels should round it at a distance of from half a mile to a mile; the most off lying danger is a rocky patch of 5 feet, lying S. E. by E., distance between 3 and 4 cables from the Great Race.

On rounding the Race Islands, Fisgard Island Light will be seen, and should be steered for, on a bearing N½ W., which will lead clear of the reef, extending a short prestpice of Albert Head.

The precautions to be observed are, to keep the bright light in full view; if a vessel gets too far to the Westward it will appear dim, and shortly become entirely shaded, when she should immediately steer out to the Eastward, until it again shows bright.

This precaution is especially necessary on account of the tides, which, during spring, run as much as 6 knots in the neighborhood of the Race Rocks; the ebb runs almost in a direct line from Haro Strait to the Rocks, and sets between them and the shore; there are also tide races in the vicinity, dangerous for boats or small craft.

When above Albert Head, and desiring to anchor in Royal Roads, a vessel should bring the Light to bear N. by W., when she will have 10 fathoms, good holding ground; or, if desired, she may stand to the Westward, until the light becomes shaded green, when she should *immediately* anchor.

Entering Esquimalt Harbor, the light should be left from one to two cables lengths on the port hand, and when it bears S. by W. at a convenient distance, a ship may anchor in 7 fathoms, or stand into Constance Cove if preferred.

When the light bears N. W. by W. in entering it changes from bright to red, and shows the latter color within the harbor.

Entering Esquimalt from the Eastward, the light should not be steered for, until it shows bright which is the mark for clearing Brotchy's Ledge, and the Scragg Rocks; when the light changes from red to bright, it leads about half a cable clear of the Scragg Rocks.

The course for the entrance of Victoria Harbor, after rounding the Race Light House, is N. ½ E., (allowing for tides), and when Fisgard Island Light changes from bright to red, a vessel will be scarcely a mile from the shore.

Ships, however, above the size of coasters, unless acquainted with the neighborhood, are recommended not to run for Victoria Harbor at night, when they would not be able to enter; but rather to anchor in Royal Roads for daylight; with Southeasterly winds and stormy weather, a ship should invariably run into Esquimalt Harbor, which she can do with great facility by the assistance of the light on Fisgard Island.

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The Beacon will consist of an *upright pole*, supported by struts and aimed between its top and centre with *three sets of wings* of different shapes; these latter determining its characteristic distinction, the surface of each being presented to a separate point of the compass: the *color* of the entire beacon will be *white*. It will be *fifty feet in height*, the platform upon which it is erected being only a few feet above the mean level of the sea.

The Beacon should be *visible*, in a favorable state of the atmosphere, at a distance of *eight nautical* or *nine and a half statute miles*.

Latitude of Beacon - - 48°08′ } Approximately
Longitude " " - - - 123°25′ }
In time " " - - 8h 13′40″ }

The Light House at Race Rocks bears from Ediz Hook W. N. W. (magnetic), distant eleven nautical miles.

The Light House at New Dungeness, N. E. ½ E. (magnetic), distant eleven nautical miles.

Victoria lies nearly due North (true) from Ediz Hook, and is distant about seventeen nautical miles.

Variation of Magnetic Needle - - - - 2° 5′ east.

Cape Flattery Light, Tatoosh Island, W. T.

The *lens* of this Light has been enlarged by an *additional section*, increasing the arc of illumination, and exhibiting the light farther up the *Straits of Juan de Fuca*.

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